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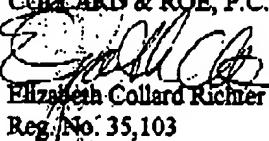
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MESSAGE:

Enclosed is an Amendment in Response to the First Office Action dated November 14, 2003.

Please confirm receipt by facsimile at your earliest convenience. Thank you.

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APPLICANT: JOSE MARIA SERICHOLO BLASCO - 1

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TITLE: SYSTEM FOR MAKING AUTOMATIC BACKUP COPIES OF
COMPUTER FILES WHEN A PERSONAL COMPUTER IS
SWITCHED OFFAMENDMENT IN RESPONSE TO THE FIRST OFFICE ACTION

MAIL STOP NON-FEE AMENDMENT
Commissioner for Patents
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Dear Sir:

In response to the Examiner's First Office Action dated November 14, 2003, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 4 of the amendment.